

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

In re Application of: :
 Miriam Fields-Babineau :
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 For: COMFORT TRAINER : Atty Docket: 4523-001
 ("CANINE HEAD HALTER") : (MFB-0001)
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DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132
ERIC UDLER, PRESIDENT, SUPER PET EXPO

Now comes Eric Udler, of Super Pet Expo of Rockville, MD (5824-A Hubbard Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852). I am the president of Super Pet Expo, a nationally recognized pet trade show organizer.

I have had occasion to personally view the commercial success of the COMFORT TRAINER at the Super Pet Expo. The COMFORT TRAINER is embodied in the above-identified U.S. patent application serial no. 09/736,408, hereinafter ("COMFORT TRAINER"), and respectfully state as follows:


1. The COMFORT TRAINER has been successfully exhibited at a number of Super Pet Expo trade shows with commercial success.
2. The COMFORT TRAINER was successfully offered for sale at the most recent Super Pet Expo, April 6-7, 2002 in Chantilly, VA. At the April show, the COMFORT TRAINER was sold out of product.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code; and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

Further Declarant sayeth naught.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 9-12-2002


 ERIC UDLER, President
 Super Pet Expo